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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure under 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, it is respectfully requested that this Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be entered, and the references listed on enclosed Form PTO-1449 be considered by the Examiner and made of record. In accordance with the waiver of 37 C.F.R. § 1.98(a)(2)(i) for submitting a copy of each cited U.S. patent and publication for all U.S. national patent applications filed after June 30, 2003, only copies of the foreign references and other documents are enclosed.

In accordance with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.97(g) and (h), this Supplemental Information

Disclosure Statement is not to be construed as a representation that a search has been made, or an admission that the information disclosed is, or is considered to be, prior art with respect to the present application or material to patentability, as defined in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56.

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This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being submitted after the mailing of the first Office Action reflecting an examination on the merits but before the mailing of the Final Rejection or Notice of Allowance. Accordingly, in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.97(c), a fee of \$180.00 Check No. 38543 is included herewith. This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is to further detail that in the "Fistful of Fives" machine by Jubilee, a player is able to insert up to five coins to play up to five win lines on the three main reels. These three reels pay the amounts shown on the front of the machine for certain combinations. For instance, three 7's pays five coins. Spaced-apart from the three main reels are two bonus reels; one displays odds such as even, ten-to-one, six-to-one, five-to-one, etc., while the second bonus reel identifies a win-line of the main reels. When a player wins on the main reels, the winning amount is multiplied by the odds shown on the first bonus reel for the win line shown on the second bonus reel. Thus, for example, "7-7-7" on the main reels, and ten-to-one on the first bonus reel pays 50 coins, if the win lines having the 7-7-7 is show on the second bonus reel. Every spin of the main reels causes a simultaneous spin of the bonus reels. No additional coins are required to participate in the increased odds associated with the bonus reels.).

Should any fee be deemed necessary (except payment of the issue fee), however, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 10-0447 (47079-00291USPT). A duplicate copy of this Statement is enclosed for that purpose.

Respectfully submitted,

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